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"Communication Device and Method"  
Serial No. 09/478,168  
Attorney Docket No. P11258-US1

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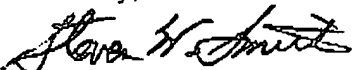
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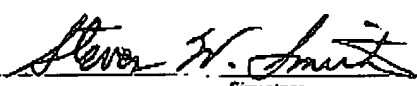
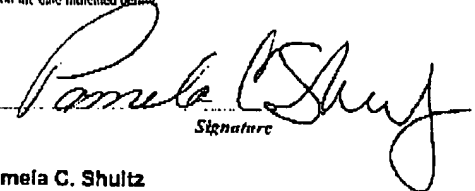


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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)</b>					Docket No. <b>P11258-US1</b>	
Applicant(s): <b>Michael Meter et al</b>						
Application No. <b>09/478,168</b>	Filing Date <b>01/05/2000</b>	Examiner <b>Blount, Steven</b>	Customer No. <b>27045</b>	Group Art Unit <b>2661</b>	Confirmation No. <b>1323</b>	
Invention: <b>Communication Device and Method</b>						
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Applicants: Michael Meyer, et al.

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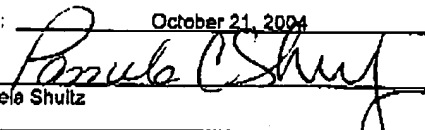
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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated July 1, 2004, the Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

**SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS**

1. Claims 1-14, 16-34, 48, and 49 were previously canceled.
2. Claims 38, 39, 47, 51, and 52 have been canceled herein.
3. Claims 35-37, 40-46, 50, 56, 57, and 60 have been amended.
4. Claims 61-68 have been added.
5. A complete list of pending claims follows.

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